## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

## **ENFORCEMENT BUREAU**



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L&W Supply d/b/a Building Specialties Eugene, Oregon 97402

#### NOTICE OF UNLICENSED OPERATION

Case Number: EB-FIELDWR-14-00016219 Document Number: W201432920004

The Portland Office received a complaint that an unlicensed radio station was allegedly operating in Eugene, Oregon on the frequency 458.850 MHz. The complaint specified a construction site from which the operation was occurring. On June 23, 2014, agents inspected the transmitter which was installed in a delivery boom truck owned and operated by L&W Supply d/b/a Building Specialties in Eugene, Oregon. An on-off test verified that the transmitter was transmitting on the frequency 458.850 MHz. An agent interviewed a Branch Manager of L&W Supply who acknowledged the operation of the transmitters in three delivery boom trucks in Eugene, Oregon, and agreed to cease operations at that time because of the on-going interference. The Commission's records show that L&W Supply did not have a FCC license for operation on 458.850 MHz in Eugene, Oregon.

Radio stations must be licensed by the FCC pursuant to 47 U.S.C. § 301. You are hereby warned that operation of radio transmitting equipment without a valid radio station authorization constitutes a violation of 47 U.S.C. § 301 and could subject the operator of this illegal operation to severe penalties, including, but not limited to, substantial monetary forfeitures, in rem arrest action against the offending radio equipment, and criminal sanctions including imprisonment. (See 47 U.S.C. §§ 401, 501, 503 and 510.)

# UNLICENSED OPERATION OF THIS RADIO STATION MUST BE DISCONTINUED IMMEDIATELY.

You have ten (10) days from the date of this notice to respond with proof of your license or authority to operate granted by the FCC. Your response should be sent to the address in the letterhead and reference the listed case and document number. Under the Privacy Act of 1974, 5 U.S.C. § 552a(e)(3), we are informing you that the Commission's staff will use all relevant material information before it to determine what, if any, enforcement action is required to ensure your compliance with FCC Rules. This will include any information that you disclose in your reply.

You may contact this office if you have any questions.

Binh Nguyen Resident Agent Portland Resident Agent Office

### Attachments:

Excerpts from the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended Enforcement Bureau, "Inspection Fact Sheet," March 2005